## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: Thomas Ficker et al.

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Title: Method for Producing Internally or Externally Profiled Rings and

Arrangement Therefor

Examiner: Rick K. Chang

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## Commissioner for Patents

Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

## AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION/ELECTION REQUIREMENT

In response to the restriction requirement dated 10/27/09 please amend the application as follows.

## IN THE CLAIMS:

The claims are amended as shown in the complete list of claims.